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Table 1: Philanthropic Domains, Intentions, Solutions and Eras

| Philanthropic Domain | Philanthropic Intentions | Philanthropic Solutions | Era Begun (North East) |
|---|---|--|------------------------|
| Religion | To help propagate ideas and beliefs that help people live morally upright lives. | Provision of priests and places of worship (churches, chapels, synagogues, mosques), religious houses (monks, nuns, friars), bible societies, missionary societies. | Medieval |
| Community Service | To help improve the lives of the most vulnerable people in society. | Almsgiving, ales, hospitals and almshouses. Roads, bridges, municipal buildings and facilities. Poor relief, poorhouses, workhouses and soup kitchens. Orphanages, shelters, homes and refuges. Charitable societies, charities supporting children, youth, elderly, disabled and disadvantaged. Community support groups and foodbanks. | Medieval |
| Education | To help people acquire the knowledge needed to achieve their potential. | Grammar schools, charity schools, Sunday schools, learned societies and professional institutes. | Medieval |
| Health | To help look after, cure or relieve the suffering of the sick, injured or infirmed. | Hospitals, dispensaries, lying-in hospitals-maternity homes, children's hospitals, specialist hospitals and surgeries, asylums and sanatoriums. | Early Modern |
| Emergencies and Disasters | To prevent loss of life and mitigate suffering. | Relief of suffering following colliery and mining disasters. Lifeboat stations. | Early Modern |
| Higher Education | To help create, apply and spread new knowledge and understanding. | Universities, colleges and research institutes. | Modern |
| Public Policy and Opinion | To help bring an end to social injustices. | Reform movements, policy think tanks, advocacy groups and organizations. | Modern |
| Environment and Animals | To help conserve the natural world. | Animal welfare societies, parks and gardens, wildlife Trusts and environmental charities. | Modern |
| Arts, Culture and Heritage | To help promote and preserve the creative arts and heritage. | Assembly rooms, public libraries, museums, art galleries, theatres and concert halls. | Modern |
| Enterprise, Skills and Economic Development | To help people, communities and societies take charge of their own destiny. | Enterprise support, skills training, International aid and economic development. | Contemporary |

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